

FRESH FOREIGN FACTS.

**A British View of the Philadelphia Convention.
What the London "Times" Has to Say About
It—The Trial of Fitzharris—General**

London, April 30.—The *Times*, in an editorial, says the Irish Convention at

Philadelphia began with a clap-net of folly and malignity, and closed after the same fashion. The whole scene, it says, would be painful were it not supremely ridiculous. The only practical suggestions

made by the convention for injuring Great Britain is the advice to the people of Ireland to buy nothing from England unless obliged to. It is a confession of impotence when Irish malice is driven to such vulgar

expedients, which, if tried, would only injure its adopters. The lesson for Great Britain is to ignore Irishmen and abandon the hope of bringing them to a better frame of mind by the continuance of unmerited favors. They have already con-

THE TRIAL OF FITZHARRIS.

the prosecution was opened by Mr. Porter, Attorney General for Ireland. He argued that although Fitzgarris didn't personally hit Burke, yet he was cognizant of the act, and was an implemen of murder, as he drove off the assassins red-handed. The defense will endeavor to prove that Fitzgarris merely drove the murderers in the course of his avocation as cab driver, and didn't know what their object or errand was.

Two merchants of Clifton, Ireland, named Keefe and Conn, have been arrested, charged with being connected with conspiracy to murder. According to information given the authorities by informers, apparently a number of respectable persons are implicated in the murder conspiracy.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 30.—The decision of United States Commissioner Ryan, releasing Kate Kane, a female lawyer on habeas corpus proceedings, because Judge Mallory, of the Criminal Court, committed her verbally for contempt in throwing water in his face, was this morning reversed by Judge Hamilton, of the Circuit Court, who reviewed the case on a writ of certiorari. Kate was remained back to jail. Bail was offered, and Judge Hamilton decided the case bailable. The prisoner has been released and will pay the fine of \$50 if she fails to appear for trial.

The Twinkbark Trouble.
Boston, April 30.—The Governor acknowledging the consent of the State Board of Health to take charge of Twinkbark says he proposes to furnish money to carry on the Aims House until the Legislature can make appropriations, but he will neither furnish nor permit to be furnished anything if expended by the present Superintendent. Extending the attention of the Board that they can appoint officers only with his consent, and as he has not consented to the appointments of the present officers, he does not propose to allow any bills contracted by them.

PERSONAL MENTION.

News and Gossip in Reference to Various People.

Colonel R. M. Delaplain left for the East yesterday.

Miss Sallie Raymond, of Fairmont, is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Arnett.

Mr. N. B. Hall, of Morgantown, was registered at the McInra House yesterday.

Mr. W. A. Hunt, editor of the St. Clairsville Chronicle, is in the city yesterday.

Mr. Dr. Luther H. Washington, of C., is the guest of Colonel Hasse, on 12th street.

Dr. George B. Morris is well again, and is in the city, stopping at the McClure House.

Mr. John Hutton, of Beverly, is among the prominent West Virginians in the city.

U. S. Marshal Atkinson went to Charleston last evening to be present at the opening of the U. S. Court.

Mr. Alex. Darrab, clerk of the Belmont County Court, was in the city yesterday, and stayed by his wife.

Mr. John P. Harvey, of Uniontown, Ohio, leading citizen of that part of Belmont

Mr. and Mrs. Warfield, of Noble county, Ohio, are visiting their daughter, who is a student at the Wheeling Female College.

The *Bellaire Tribune* note the presence there visitors of Mr. James Hall, Miss Rose Rosenstein, Mr. William Gibbs, Mr. Moses and Miss Blanche Blum, Misses Ella and Anna Brodie, of this city, and Messrs. William Mann and James H. Drennen, of Marin's Ferry.

Professor A. S. Nugent, of the National Business College, is a fine reader. At the literary exercises in that college yesterday,

Major Fletcher, of Jackson county, formerly prosecuting Attorney of Ohio county, and still pleasantly remembered by a host of friends here, is in the city. He reports the republican party of Jackson thriving, in good spirits and getting ready for the next fight. Jackson county has many staunch

On last Saturday evening Mr. W. A. Miller, son of Theodore Miller, of the South side, was greatly surprised by a call from a large party of friends, who were celebrating his birthday. There were present about twenty-five couples, and the evening was spent very pleasantly in dancing. Refreshments were served about 10 o'clock. Dancing began again and was kept up until 12 o'clock, when the party departed.

Mrs. Jane Brown, widow of Hugh Brown, deceased, died yesterday morning at her residence on North Fourth street, after a protracted illness. She was the daughter of Hugh and Jane McCutcheon, and was born in Southport, Ireland, in 1820. She was married in 1829, and came to New York in 1831, coming from there to Steub-

ance. Her husband died in 1869. The deceased was the father of eight children; and six children survive her, Miss Anna H., of Altoona, Pa., Mrs. John Fred. of Wheeling, Robert M., Mrs. Cyrus Scott, Hugh H., and Mrs. Rosemary Gardner, of Steubenville, Pa. Mrs. Brown has been a member of the Second Presbyterian Church for many years, and was highly esteemed.—*Steubenville Herald*.